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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

-against-

ABU BAKARI TAHIRU,

Defendant.

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**JOHN G. KOELTL, DISTRICT JUDGE:**

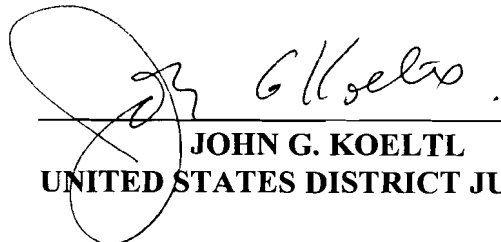
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**SPEEDY TRIAL ORDER**

The parties are directed to appear for a conference on **Friday, March 7, 2008 at 3:00pm** before the Honorable John G. Koeltl.

The Court prospectively excludes the time from today until **March 7, 2008** in calculating the speedy trial date under 18 U.S.C. 3161 in order to assure effective assistance of counsel and because the ends of justice served by such a continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(A).

**SO ORDERED.**

  
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**JOHN G. KOELTL**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

Dated: New York, New York  
February 15, 2008